TOWN OF HERNDON

Enriching the Quality of Life and Promoting a Sense of Community



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6th ANNUAL COMMUNITY DAY & HOUSING FAIR CELEBRATES CULTURES, DIVERSITY FOUND IN HERNDON

Herndon, VA (April 20, 2006) – An eclectic blend of international performers, children's and nature programs, foods from around the globe and 500-plus attendees all come together at the 6th annual Community Day and Housing Fair, to be held on **Saturday, May 6** from noon until 4pm at the Herndon Neighborhood Resource Center (NRC), located at 1086 Elden Street in the Dulles Park Shopping Center.

This free event showcases the many programs and services available at the NRC, from education, health and social services programs to community building activities, crime prevention training, bilingual resources and much more.

A full slate of performers is scheduled throughout the afternoon to include the H.K. Lee Tae Kwon Do Demonstration Team, Peruvian singer Erika Reikendorf, the Boyle School of Irish Dance, Jow Ga Shaolin Institute Chinese Lion Dancers, the Herndon Middle School Step Team, the Encore Studio of Dance and, as a grand finale, the Los Quetzales Mexican Dance Ensemble.

A housing fair will be held in conjunction with the festivities. Programs for first time homebuyers, with an emphasis on the homebuying process and establishing credit, will be offered.

Activities for children throughout the day include face painting, crafts, a nature tent, a moon bounce and much more.

For more information on the 6th annual Community Day & Housing Fair, contact the Herndon Neighborhood Resource Center at 703/435-6830.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 22,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people.

For more information, visit the Town's website at www.herndon-va.gov.

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